



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration
Rockville MD 20857

October 26, 1999

Robert Cohen
560 Oradell Avenue
Oradell, NJ 07649

Dear Mr. Cohen:

Your petition requesting the Food and Drug Administration to revoke the regulation that approved Posilac, Monsanto's bovine growth hormone, was received by this office on October 26, 1999. It was assigned docket number 99P-4613/CP 1 and it was filed on October 26, 1999. Please refer to this docket number in future correspondence on this subject with the Agency.

Please note that the acceptance of the petition for filing is a procedural matter in that it in no way reflects an agency decision on the substantive merits of the petition.

Sincerely,

Lyle D. Jaffe
Dockets Management Branch

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